MERCELINE WARRINGTON, : Order Denying Request for Stay NEOMA DENNING, of Effectiveness of Decision PATRICIA SHOPODOCK, BERNADINE R. KERSEY, LISA SHAW, : Docket Nos. IBIA 96-88-A VICTOR TORRES, IBIA 96-89-A RAMON TORRES, IBIA 96-90-A DEBORAH LOWE, and IBIA 96-92-A CHARITA E. BEAUPREY, IBIA 96-93-A Appellants IBIA 96-94-A IBIA 96-95-A IBIA 96-97-A v. IBIA 96-98-A ANADARKO AREA DIRECTOR,

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, :

Appellee : January 15, 1998

Cindy W. Haro, Esq., has filed a request for a stay of the decision which the Board of Indian Appeals (Board) issued on December 30, 1997, in regard to the above Appellants. 31 IBIA 312. Ms. Haro did not represent these Appellants during the initial proceedings before the Board, and has not entered an appearance in regard to the present request. Therefore, the Board concludes that Ms. Haro has not shown that she represents these Appellants.

Even if the Board were to conclude that Ms. Haro represents these Appellants, it would deny the request for the reasons set forth in <u>Wayka v. Anadarko Area Director</u>, 32 IBIA 11 (1998).

Therefore, pursuant to the authority delegated to the Board of Indian Appeals by the Secretary of the Interior, 43 C.F.R. § 4.1, this request for stay of the Board's December 30, 1997, decision is denied.

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